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DID PAXTON PUT
ONE OVER ON THE
RANK AND FILE?

Interrified Are Asking Each Other What Was the Object of the Meeting Held in Santa Fe Saturday.

Santa Fe, Feb. 14.—What was the object of the meeting?

This is the question that New Mexico democrats are asking each other today, relative to the stormy session of the state central committee held here yesterday.

During the session of the committee there were frequent expressions from members to the effect that this was the wrong time for a meeting; that the party should "lay low and say nothing," at least until after the adjournment of the legislature; that no good could possibly come from a free-for-all fight among democratic leaders at the exact time and place that would make for the widest publicity of party bickerings, and that if democrats had to "get it out of their system" they should have used better judgment in the manner of doing it.

One of the interjected gave an interesting explanation of the why and wherefore of the meeting. "All this time," he declared with a sigh, "I've been saying that Jim Paxton was a bun politician, but you've got to hand it to him for this stunt. He simply beat 'em to it."

Inquiry as to the construction to be placed on this somewhat cryptic remark drew forth the following theory: Ever since the failure of the First State bank in Las Cruces, Paxton has been under a hot fire on account of his connection with the state college, which stands an excellent prospect of losing many thousands of dollars by reason of that failure. The which has been made even hotter by the charges officially made on the floor of the senate by Mr. Paxton's fellow townsman, Herbert H. Holt. From all parts of the state, it is said, demands for Mr. Paxton's resignation as state chairman have come.

For reasons best known to himself, according to the theory advanced, Mr. Paxton didn't and doesn't want to resign as state chairman of the democratic party, and as the surest means of perpetuating himself in the office, he called a meeting of the committee so that all members might air their grievances. Figuratively, he bared his snow-white bosom and said "shoot!"

Only Crist Shot.

Of course, nobody shot—that is, nobody except J. H. Crist, and the trouble with Mr. Crist was that he used an air-gun, for about ten minutes of his sensational speech to the committee the Rev. Arthur county member hit the bull's head, and undoubtedly scored heavily. If he had sat down at the end of that time there is no telling what effect his remarks would have had. But Mr. Crist didn't know when he was through, and continued in a weary speech of three hours' duration, which was punctuated by a sensational outburst from Governor McDonald, and when he was through, everybody present was sore—not at Paxton particularly, but at everything in general.

Whether the call for the meeting was part and parcel of the Paxtonian strategy to "beat 'em to it" may never be known, but if it was it worked admirably. Inviting the democrats to shoot at his bared breast, the state chairman sat and smoked his briar-root pipe and watched them shoot at each other. His only concern was that lengthy less, which were all the time getting in his way, for the chair in which he was sitting was not constructed to Mr. Paxton's peculiar style of architecture. And all the while Secretary Guilford, who has been under no less hot a fire than Mr. Paxton, sat in one of the leather chairs on the judges' platform, with his feet cocked up on the desk in front of him, and looked if possible a trifle more bored than usual.

Not only was Paxton not censured, he was actually extended a vote of confidence! Antonio Joseph, Jr., of Taos county, offered the resolution, and it was passed without discussion or opposition, but it should also be added, without any noticeable enthusiasm.

McGill as a Peacemaker.

Judge W. R. McGill, of La Bando, Roosevelt county, candidate for attorney general in the first state election, made what was in the opinion of many of those present, the best speech delivered during the session of the committee, and one of the wisest ever heard in New Mexico.

The beauty about Judge McGill's speech was its opportuneness. It came just after Mr. Crist had finished his highly sensational philippic against all those who, he declared, were responsible for democratic distress.

There was not any "too good feeling in the hall. Everybody was sore. It was time to pour oil on the troubled waters, and Judge McGill proved himself an expert oil-pourer. In five minutes, after he had started he had everybody in the room roaring with laughter.

"I can explain very easily," said Judge McGill, "why we didn't poll as large a vote for the democratic ticket in Roosevelt county last fall as in former elections. You see, a lot of our good democrats have moved back to Texas—the statute of limitations on their crimes has expired."

Bridge Contract Awarded.

Santa Fe, Feb. 14.—State Engineer James A. French today awarded the contract for the bridge across the Rio Grande near Tucuman to the Missouri Valley Bridge & Iron Co., for \$3,275. It is to be a wooden trestle 497 feet long, to consist of thirteen spans thirty-one feet long and sixteen feet wide.

Artesia, N. M., Feb. 14.—L. E. Hyatt, manager of the Belt farm, nine

Well Produces Water to Irrigate Farm and Fair Output of Petroleum in Addition to Illuminant.

Artesia, N. M., Feb. 14.—L. E. Hyatt, manager of the Belt farm, nine miles southeast of Artesia, lights his house from the natural gas in the Artesian well on the place. Mr. Hyatt has been using the method of lighting for some months, and finds that the supply is always sufficient for his needs. The Belt well is one of the best oil wells in this section, and is really the only one with the exception of the Brown well which produces a steady stream of pure oil. It delivers enough water to irrigate the farm. The hole is over 1,300 feet deep, and passes through seventy feet of oil sand, as shown by the log of the well on file in the office of the artesian well supervisor. The casing is eight inches in diameter. Inside the larger casing is a four-inch pipe down to the oil supply, and out of this smaller pipe flows a continuous stream of oil, gas and some water.

The oil is separated from the water by running off into a series of tanks, the pure oil being left at the top of each tank until it reaches the last one, and the water being turned off through a faucet in the bottom of the tank. The gas for lighting the house is taken from the smaller pipe, and piped directly to the building.

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WANTED—Girl to work mornings. Call at 411 North First.

WANTED—Young girl for general housework. 326 West Gold.

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\$3,500—5-room, California bungalow, new, hardwood floors, furnace, E. Silver avenue.

\$3,800—5-room modern bungalow—fireplace, sleeping porch; and 3-room bungalow on the rear of lot. A bargain. Fourth ward.

\$2,000—New 4-room modern bungalow. Fourth ward.

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One of the greatest exhibitions of this well was given to the New Mexico retailers when they met at Roswell, and made a side trip to Artesia. The photograph printed on this page was made at that time.

FOR RENT—Modern rooms steam heat; 504 West Central.

FOR RENT—Nice sunny room, sleeping porch and bath, 422 West Marquette.

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for housekeeping; no sick, 919 North Fourth.

FOR RENT—Furnished front room with sleeping porch, in modern new house, 745 North Third.

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FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 124 South Second.

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FOR RENT—Large front room, modern, dandy sleeping porch, 615 South Arno.

FOR RENT—Room with sleeping porch, suitable for two, 572 East Silver avenue.

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FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping; bath, light, Phone, \$5.00 per month up, 614 South Arno street, Phone 1513W.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, large sleeping porch, with use of kitchen, bath, electric light, telephone, and fuel for cooking, 110 South Walnut street.

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